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[DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN]

DATES TO OCTOBER 26

The Fifteenth Amendment in Nebraska.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 26.—An Omaha special says that the published statement that the Nebraska Legislature ratified the Fifteenth Amendment last March is incorrect. The Legislature adjourned without action in February. The Governor will probably call an extra session this winter.

New York News.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—It is stated that J. D. Vermilyea and Folger having declined becoming General Butterfield's successors, A. Van Dyke has been tendered the position.

Returns have been received from more than two thirds of all the Presbyteries ratifying the reunion of the Presbyterian church by the respective majority. The two General Assemblies will meet in Pittsburg, Nov. 10th, and report the votes and declare the result.

The final payment of the 25 per cent to the creditors of the Gold Exchange Bank will be made to-morrow, when the receivership terminates and the bank will pass into the control of its officers. The bank comes out with a loss of surplus and about half its capital.

A meeting of the stock holders of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express is called for Nov. 15th to consider the question of increasing the capital stock from ten to fifteen millions.

Nearly all the operators on the Franklin telegraph in this city struck for such an increase of salaries as will make them equal to those paid by other companies.

H. H. Van Dyke, former Sub Treasurer, and Calvin Thurlburd, are named as successors to Butterfield. The new Marshal, S. Barlow, vice ex-Marshal Barlow's chief deputy. The *Post* says Barlow's resignation was on account of distaste for the duties of the office and a desire to continue uninterrupted in the practice of the law.

It is reported that Father Hyacinthe starts west next week.

Jay Gould gave evidence on the gold conspiracy case before the grand jury to day.

An armed force of internal revenue officers seized several distilleries in Brooklyn to day. The officers were met by a crowd of ruffians, armed with brickbats and clubs, who were soon driven off.

A man supposed to be insane, a depositor in the Citizens' Savings Bank, attempted to shoot the paying teller to-day because he refused to pay money without the production of his bank book. Two shots were fired, not taking effect.

The machinists employed by the Erie Railroad Co., Jersey City, struck again this morning.

The Social Science Association commenced their 5th annual session to-day. Several addresses were delivered.

Washington News.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—The President this morning appointed S. A. Barlow U. S. Marshal for the southern district of New York, vice Barlow resigned.

Secretary Boutwell this morning received Assistant Treasurer Butterfield's letter of resignation, and shortly afterward went to the executive mansion, and had a consultation with the President on the subject. Up to noon nothing transpired relative to the matter. Boutwell was at the State Department and Attorney General's office during the forenoon. No formal Cabinet meeting was had to-day, though the members were at the White House this morning.

The President and Mrs. Grant leave Washington for Philadelphia this afternoon.

In the Supreme Court to-day the counsel for Kerger asked leave, on account of arrangements in progress between them and the Attorney General, to postpone the motion for further proceedings until a subsequent day. The Chief Justice replied that he would consider the matter and answer to-morrow.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has decided that vintners are not subject to special tax as liquor dealers for selling their own products at the place of manufacture.

General McMahon, late Minister to Paraguay, is now in Washington on business connected with the State Department. His proceedings as Minister are approved on the ground that they show that his course was marked by commendable diligence, discretion, dignity and firmness. The General confirms the reports of the allies firing on his party while with a Paraguayan flag of truce, and their perpetration of dispatches from and to the Government, with the exception of that for his recall from Paraguay which they permitted to be promptly forwarded. He thinks the present position for Lopez stronger than heretofore, and the announcement by the allies of the war being ended, is simply a pretext for the withdrawal of invading troops. The Paraguayans conduct the war without money, and make their own cannon, powder and other hostile appliances while the troops plant and gather crops. The Uraguayans have scarcely contributed a regiment, the Argentine Confederation 4,000 or 5,000, 22,000 or 24,000 are Brazilians. A Paraguyan vessel is now guarding or in possession of Assuncion. Their numbers are about two thousand. It is composed in small parts of deserters to the allies and Paraguayan prisoners of war have been compelled to enter the service together with an equal number of Brazilians. The provisional government is regarded as inefficient by all families with its history, and as not promising stability. Lopez is represented by General McMahon to be possessed of the administrative abilities and not more cruel in war than the most complaining of allied Generals. The devotion of the people to Lopez is unexampled. They are not only obedient, but always ready to incur any risk and make any sacrifice demanded by him. Lopez contemplates the restoration of prosperity to his country by immigrants from the United States, to whom he will offer inducements to settle there by grants of land.

Thomas Ewing is now fully restored to health, mental and physical.

By command of General Sherman, the board of officers assembled at St. Louis for revision of tactics, of which Major General J. M. Schofield is President, will, in addition to duties assigned them, also examine and report on the best small arms and accoutrements for use of the army of the United States. This board act in conjunction with the board of naval officers, and will endeavor, if possible, to adopt small arms of pattern and calibre suitable to both branches of service with common ammunition and parts interchangable.

A rough estimate, based on returns thus far received of the public debt statement for October, shows a reduction of $8,000,000.

The Cuban Privateer.

WILMINGTON, Oct. 26.—The case of the officers of the *Cuba* was resumed before the Commissioner to-day. Counsel for the defense wanted to introduce the testimony of the officers, which was objected to by counsel for the Government. The Commissioner finally decided to admit their testimony. No important testimony has been elicited thus far.

Counterfeiters Arrested.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 26.—The Deputy Marshal arrested to day two men belonging to an extensive band of counterfeiters. He captured several thousand dollars in national currency. Two others of the same gang were arrested last night at Osgood, Indiana, by Col. Whitely of the secret service, with a large amount of counterfeit money.

Louisville Dispatch.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 26.—Advices from a number of tobacco growing counties, state that recent frauds have seriously injured the increased crop. Other crops are correspondingly affected.

The Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of Kentucky met here to-day. The attendance was greater than ever before in the history of the Lodge. The session will be of great importance.

From Cuba.

HAVANA, Oct. 26.—*La Cuba*, a Liberal journal, praises the decree establishing religious freedom, and expects much beneficial results for the country, believing that under them the faith of the religious will revive and atheism, now so prevalent, will be annihilated.

The *Prensa* briefly refers to the decree and comments neither way.

The *Prensa* expresses dissatisfaction, but accepts the decree because it is now the law.

The Colonial Minister in Madrid, in answer to a telegram from Havana, says the Ministers are resolved to take no important action touching the social or political reforms in the colonies till parties interested are heard.

Two Feet of Snow in Canada.

TORONTO, Oct. 26.—Four inches of snow here this morning. At Walkerton, Port Louis and other points north and west about two feet has fallen. It is still snowing.

The Federal Parliament of Canada was prorogued by the Governor General to-day. The session of Parliament will be held in February.

Damage to Tobacco Crops.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 26.—Advices from Indiana, Illinois and Northern Kentucky state that while the crop is good and well cured, it is estimated its loss will be fully one-third by rain. The rain is great.

Miscellaneous.

AUGUSTA, Oct. 26.—The Governor left here to-day without having made any appointment of U. S. Senator to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Fessenden.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 26.—The trial of Grier alias Ward for robbing the messenger of Harden's Express Company at Baltimore, was up to-day. The jury is out.

BUFFALO, Oct. 26.—It commenced snowing last night. A severe snow storm is now prevailing here.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 26.—The New Masonic Hall in Allegheny City was dedicated by Masonic ceremonies this afternoon, Grand Master Richard Vaux officiating. A banquet will be given by the Grand Lodge to night.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE

PARIS, Noon, Oct. 26.—The city is tranquil. Government has taken precaution to guard against disorder, but no manifestation is likely to occur. At six o'clock P. M. the city remained perfectly tranquil. Up to this hour the threatened demonstration was not made.

LONDON, Oct 26.—Anton S. Aytoun succeeds Lygard as Commissioner of Public Works and Buildings. James Stansfield, M. P., has been appointed under Secretary of the Treasury, vice Aytoun, and Jordan replaces James Montcrieffe as Lord Advocate.

BERLIN, Oct. 26.—Baron Von Derbeydi, Minister of Finance, has resigned.

MADRID, Oct. 26.—It is reported that Serrano is threatening to resign the Regency, because of a rupture between the ministers and progressionists.

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 26.—The Chinese Embassy, after having visited the capitals of Denmark, Norway and Sweden, left to-day for the Netherlands.

FREIGHTS.

Rio Janeiro advices state that it is impossible to say whether the Paraguayan war is or is not at an end. However, the provisional government has issued two pompous decrees declaring Lopez the enemy of mankind and outlawed, and denouncing all his followers traitors.

The long talked of reforms in the civil service are not forgotten by the people of Philadelphia. A large number of industrial citizens, including the principle mercantile firms, have addressed a memorial to their Representatives in Congress, recommending the support of Mr. Jenckes' bill.

The Concord *Statesman* gives a list of eighty-five women and fifty-one men who have died in New Hampshire a hundred years old and upwards. Six were colored persons, and only four of the one hundred and thirty-six had double names. One woman, who had died at one hundred and one years of age had a daughter who died at one hundred and two.

The late English Ordnance Survey of the great pyramid of Egypt has dispelled the extravagant nonsense which has been written about the divine origin of weights and measures. The average length of the four sides of the pyramid's base was 9,120 inches, which is exactly equal to 300 Egyptian cubits. This round number Cheops hit upon without knowing or caring about the earth's dimensions.

Mosby, of Virginia, is a tremendously warlike genius. He has an appetite for fighting and plunder and cracker stealing that nothing can appease, as the bush-whacking part of the history of the war will abundantly show, and now, when to the joyous tunes of peace he should be enjoying his humble *sub tegmine fagi*, he is desperately running around trying to get himself hanged by shooting a sheriff.

Cincinnati is excited over the Davenport Brothers, who are exhibiting there. One of the papers has given a translation, several columns long, of the exposure of the imposture by a German, who discovered their method when they were in Europe. The form of the knots and the mode of escape from them are shown by the aid of diagrams. The jugglery is highly successful so drawing full houses notwithstanding the disclosures.

The New York *Express* says: "Those who happen in the vicinity of one of our evening schools about the time the scholars are dismissed to go home will be astonished by the great number of bashful swearers who go home as pupils. About two thirds of the males light a cigar or pipe the moment they emerge into the open air, and of these smokers of Sir Walter Raleigh, many are not above the years of age." The young idea is taught there not to shoot, but tobacco.

The Naval appropriation bill of the last Congress gave $50,000 for deepening the entrance to the harbor of the Midway Islands in the Pacific Ocean, so as to afford a safe rendezvous and port of refuge for naval and merchant vessels of the United States. The contract for the work had been given to George W. Townsend, of Boston, who is to perform the service under the direction of Admiral Turner, commanding the Pacific fleet. The dredging will commence at once.

Richard Weaver, of London, the famous lay preacher to the poor, is becoming almost as famous in England as Whitefield was 130 years ago. He lately preached at Ascot, where people came from all parts of the surrounding country to hear him. The whole congregation listened with great attention, many standing with streaming eyes, as he spoke of what he himself had witnessed of the power of the Gospel. Invitations crowded upon him far beyond his power to accept.

The material growth of the South during the last four years is strikingly shown by the editorials in some of the Southern papers. The official figures at the Department estimate that the cotton crop of the Southern States this year will be worth $210,000,000 while the total value of the exports of the South is set down at $328,500,000. At this rate, the value of Southern products is about $41 52 per head for the entire Southern population. These figures go to show that the South is even now the richest section of the country.

The whole number of copies of the report on agriculture for 1867, printed by order of Congress, is 223,000. The following curious calculation of the superficial area of the edition has been made: The length of one copy is 9 1-4 inches long, 6 inches wide and 2 inches thick. If the whole of the copies are of the same dimensions, the length of shelving necessary to put them on as bookcases put on libraries will be five miles, two furlongs, fifty-one yards and one foot. If the whole number were to be laid down flat on the ground along side of each other they would extend a distance of twenty-one miles, two hundred and six yards and two feet. And further, if the whole number of copies were laid flat, touching each other, they would cover a surface measuring one acre three rods, twenty-eight yards and the one quarter over.

Horace Greeley said a tall Kentuckian to a hotel clerk: "Can young woman and me have a room?" "Have you any marrying faculties around here?" "The clerk replied in the affirmative, and the two were shown in less than an hour. The bridegroom was evidently not yet satisfied, and lingered around the hotel book. "Clerk," said he confidentially at length, "hadn't you better change the register and give us one room, now we're married?" "It's already done," replied the clerk, "you're marked for the same room." "Well, clerk," replied the Kentuckian, quickly, "won't you just show me up, then, for I'm afraid sleepy."

THE WAR!

The total value of bullion from the Ida Elmore mine, at Owyhee, received at San Francisco during the month of September, was $41,305 81.

The Legislature of Washington Territory has passed an act authorizing the Thurston County Commissioners to borrow $20,000, for the purpose of building a court house and jail.

The Olympia *Transcript* has been presented with some good-s and apples of last years' growth. They are of the American Pippin variety, and look like they would keep a year or two longer.

A society of considerable numbers has been formed at Seattle, of the Plymouth Congregationalists, and have requested Rev. John F. Damon to become their pastor. He has accepted the call.

J. N. Long, sentenced to be hung on the 3d inst., at Red Bluffs, California, escaped from the Tehama county jail a day or two before the day set for execution and has not returned.

It is announced that a mass has arrived at Boise City with thirty Cayuse ponies, which he will sell, trade, bet on a race or, as they are backing stock, he will "buck" off at fare. A local paper exclaims, "Go for him, boys!"

From the Owyhee *Wave*: W. H. Clark, Superintendent of the Red Jacket and second extension south of Golden Chariot, has taken a contract to get out five hundred tons of Twilight ore in Flint. The work will involve the running of an 84 foot tunnel before striking the ledge.

An Idaho paper reports that the mines on Loon Creek continue to pay well. Mr. John Ward says the camp will be of great importance and will produce much money next year. New claims are being opened every day, and they all pay well. For some weeks after the rush to the mines money was very scarce, but now it is quite plenty. Some very fine specimens have already been taken out.

A Victoria paper says that the heaviest auction sale the North Pacific has ever known will be held on the 22d of December next, when the B. C. & V. I. Mills, Hazard Inlet, land claims and steamer *Isabel* will come under the hammer of Mr. Franklin. The mills, and steamer, with improvements, cost about $160,000. The company have gone into liquidation and the sale is peremptory.

An Owyhee paper says: Hyman & Rothenberg made their first shipment from New York on the 21st day of September by way of Kelton and the Snake river route. It is proposed to follow Hailey's stage road as far as the crossing of Raske river, thence down the south side to the Bruneau, where they will diverge to the south west and come in by Jennings ranch on Catharine creek, and into Silver by what is known as the Scotch Bob road.

Walla Walla *Journalism* is getting almost as bad as that of California. One of the papers there says of its antagonist: "Just all men get to the windward of this putrid mass of compugerous, and take a good look, and be warned. Do not as he does, and you will be not as he is. If our dropsical friend could only 'see himself as others see him,' he would above again write the word 'deformity.'"

General Relief Committee, I. O. O. F. of Portland, Oregon.

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A. GOLDSMITH, Tailor, 59 Front street.
N. Gerlach, Grocer, First and Madison.
J. Goldner, Clothier, 56 Front street.
J. Bachman, 56 Front street.
M. Kashland, 97 First st.
J. M. Caywood, Western Hotel.
John Dolan, corner Front and Washington sts.
Wm. Braden, Clay st., between Fourth and Fifth.
S. H. Woodard, Portland.
S. Stafford, East Portland.
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Samaritan Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, in Stark's building, third story opposite Arrigoni's Hotel. Members of the order are cordially invited to attend. By order of N. G.
Feb 4, 1868. dtf

Hassalo Lodge No. 15, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock in Stark's building, third story, opposite Arrigoni's Hotel. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.
Portland, February 12, 1868. dtf

Portland R. A. C. No. 3.—Regular Convocation on the second Thursday evening of each month at Masonic Hall, No. 88 North Front st.
By order of M. E. H. P.

Multnomah Lodge No. 18, I. O. G. T.—Holds Regular Meetings at 7½ o'clock in on Saturday evenings of each week. All members in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. C. T.

Nonpareil Lodge No. 88, I. O. G. T.—Meets every Thursday evening at 7½ o'clock. Hall in Poppleton's building, First Street, between Morrison and Taylor. Members in good standing are invited to attend.
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**Crystal Lodge No. 19

The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 28, 1869.

Nothing to be Thankful For

Several Democratic papers, including the *Herald*, allude in bitter terms to the President's proclamation of thanksgiving. They can see nothing to be thankful for. To them, the national prospect is exceedingly gloomy, and all because they haven't the offices. It is their opinion that the country is ruled by a powerful and oppressive despotism. Liberty is being rapidly crushed by the relentless hand of tyranny; the people are agonizing under their load of taxation, and all the pillars of national prosperity are shaken. Everything wears a funeral hue, and not one ray of light illumines the sad cypress gloom that covers the land. Such being the Democratic opinion, thanksgiving is mere mockery. But if their party could once get into power and repudiate the national debt and reduce the "nigger" to his "normal sphere," they would feel very happy and would devoutly return thanks for blessings received and enjoyed. It is curious to observe that though the Democratic press has long been trying to inculcate the idea that the country is on the road to ruin and that the people are ruthlessly despoiled by despots, most of the people have not yet found it out. Judged from a Democratic standpoint, they appear to be laboring under a strange delusion. With good crops, an abundance of the comforts of life and money in their pockets, they are foolish enough to think they are prosperous and have cause for thanksgiving. Not so, however, with the wailing Jeremiahs of Democracy. The resolutions of '98 are trampled upon, and they are disconsolate. The negro is no longer a slave, but a citizen and voter, and they refuse to be comforted. On these grounds, if we may believe the Democratic press, their party will not join in the national thanksgiving this year.

Startling Discoveries.

The Oregon City paper fires up again on the "Chinese question," and raises the steam to an alarmingly high pitch. It is satisfied that the "Radicals" design to give the Chinese the elective franchise, because they have given it to the negro; though it is happy to observe that the negro in the Southern States is now becoming a Democratic voter. Perceiving that they have lost the negro vote, the "Radicals," according to the oracle at Wallamet Falls, are determined to make good the loss by enfranchising the Chinese. But does this oracle suppose that the "Radicals" are such fools as to give the ballot to the Chinese, so as to enable the Democratic party to get their votes also? For these "pagan slaves" would surely vote Democratic, just as the lower and more ignorant class of negroes in the South are doing. The "Radicals" are not quite so green.

Again, we are told that "we have had Chinese laborers on this coast for some time; yet they have not opened up any new avenues of industry, or been the cause of any increased demand for white labor." The author of this statement has certainly been enjoying a Rip Van Winkle nap. Has he ever heard of the Central Pacific railroad, built by Chinese labor? Has he any knowledge of a railroad running through Oregon City, built mainly by Asiatic muscle? Do not railroads "open up new avenues of industry," and create an "increased demand for labor?" We think their history shows that this is rather their tendency. Perhaps the somnolent editor at Oregon City may have some recollections on this subject, reaching back to the times before he fell into the deep sleep which has overtaken him since he became an old fogy Democrat.

Bunsby Illustrated.

An Eastern paper takes Charles Dickens to task for his late speech on popular government. It would like to know what he meant when he declared that his faith in the people governing was infinitesimal—his faith in the people governed illimitable? The obvious interpretation of the words is that he did not believe in the people—i. e., the nation at large—governing for themselves, but that he *did* believe in them when they were governed by others. It appears, however, that like the apothegms of one of his own heroes, the meaning of the observation lies in the application. Mr. Dickins uttered an opinion worthy of Jack Bunsby himself, and he cannot complain if it has been misunderstood. By the "people governing" he meant the class which now governs, intending by this a blow at the aristocracy. Mr. Dickens has probably forgotten the last Reform Bill, and fails to recognize the overwhelming force which "the people," properly speaking, exercise in political affairs. What settled the Irish Church? What is moving Mr. Gladstone to deal with the Irish land difficulty? Surely it is not the sentiment of an aristocratic clique, but the irresistible sway of truly Democratic principles. Mr. Dickens never yet touched politics without blundering and in this instance he seems to have been desirous of covering his mistakes by expressing his views in unintelligible language.

In General.

Speaking of the recent election in Pennsylvania, the Oregon City paper says: "We have the humiliating spectacle of a President discarding, for the time being, the affairs of State for the purpose of making a tour through Pennsylvania for the advancement of the interest of his political party." No doubt the whole Copperhead Democracy feel the "humiliation" deeply! The President, however, made no tour of the kind. But we remember that when A. Johnson made his electioneering tour all over the United States in 1866, the Democracy were not at all "humiliated" by the "spectacle." They uttered shouts which tore the sky's concave, and threw up their hats as if they would have hung them on the horns of the moon.

The New York *Times* of the 13th inst. reports that there has been a great development of activity in the fall trade. The dry goods interests show increased animation, the jobbing houses reporting a more comprehensive trade at remunerative prices. Groceries have been unusually brisk, especially in the line of Rio coffee, and of raw sugars, the sales of which are very heavy. In petroleum the dealings have been very extensive, mainly for export at improved rates. The export trade of the port of New York makes a very encouraging exhibit this fall.

In an article on the controversy between free-trade and protection, the Boston *Advertiser* says: "It is the laboring man who is now free from foreign competition; it is the new settler in the mineral regions or at the South; it is the newly arrived emigrant of whatever calling,—who have most reason to dread the madness which would cast off our armor when we go into rivalry with the capital and workshops of the old world."

OREGON.

Baker City is said to be improving quite rapidly. An assay office will soon be established there.

Daniel Chaplin of La Grande has a radish, grown in his garden, which weighs thirty-nine and a half pounds.

The *Sentinel* reports that one man on Butte creek in Jackson county has killed fourteen bear during the last few days.

A man who gave his name as Malone robbed a man named Austin on Powder river last week of $120. The robber escaped.

A considerable number of miners are now at work on the bars of Snake river, east of La Grande, near Brownlee's old ferry.

John Taylor has sold out his bridge over the Umatilla and bought a farm in Yamhill county. It is probable that he will remain in Washington county.

The La Grande paper reports that Savage, one of the Blue mountain stage robbers, who escaped from the stage when being brought from Idaho, was seen at the Washoe Ferry last week.

From the Jacksonville *Sentinel*: T. J. Aden, formerly of Portland, over 50 years of age, walked in one day, last week, 85 miles, from what is called the "Mountain House," on the Crescent City road to Tom Bell's farm in Rogue river valley. Beat that, young men with high heeled boots, if you can.

A Jacksonville paper has the following intelligence from Link river: That Mr. Nourse is building a residence near the bridge, on Link river. That the saw mill in that vicinity is not running, and lumber has to be hauled from Rogue river valley. That Link river valley has proven to be a splendid wheat-growing country; and that it is projected to build a grist mill there, next summer, and supply the valley with breadstuffs. Travel to and from Goose Lake and about subsided.

State Taxes on Railway Travel

[From the New York Times.]

The Supreme Court of the United States decided in the case of Crandall vs. the State of Nevada (6 Wallace, p. 35) that no one of the United States could impose a tax upon those who were obliged to pass through the territory of such State on their way to the National Capital. The reasoning of the Court is broad and general, and applies to every device by which such a charge may be sought to be imposed on the traveler. So that it may now be regarded as the law of the land that it is not competent for any State to take to itself any profit of those fares which a common carrier is authorized to charge for conveying passengers through its limits.

It is not likely, in view of this decision, that any State will attempt again to lay a direct tax upon such passengers. But an effort may be made to arrive at the same result by some indirect method. It is stated that some contract exists between the State of Maryland and the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad; by virtue of which the State claims that the railroad is bound to pay into its treasury a fifth of all the revenue which it receives from passengers traveling between Baltimore and Washington, and that this claim is not resisted by the Railroad Company. Possibly some difference can be discerned in principle between a tax imposed by the State and a sum agreed by the Company itself to be paid, but the result to the passenger is the same. He is compelled to pay one fifth more fare than he would otherwise be called upon for. One reason given by the Supreme Court for its ruling in the Nevada case was that to sustain the power to tax would be to give to a State the power to exclude citizens of other States from the capital of the nation. The same result might follow in the case of this agreement, only the power would be thus given not to a State alone, but to a State and a railroad company combined. The principle which prohibited the former case ought equally to extend to the latter.

The difficulty is to reach the matter. In the Nevada case a penalty had been affixed to the refusal of any stage proprietor to collect the tax, and the matter was brought before the Courts by a person who had so refused and had been prosecuted for the penalty. But if the carrier and the State agree as to the collecting of the tax or the payment of the share of the passage money, who is to bring up the question? Transient passengers are not likely to enter upon serious litigation for such small amounts. If public sentiment is not powerful enough to prevent such combinations between States and common carriers, the only remedy would seem to be legislation. If the free passage of the citizen from one end to the other of the country is thus interfered with, it would seem to be an evil for which penal legislation on the part of Congress is the remedy.

Glass Making.

The manufacture of plate glass, rough polished or silvered, is an industry not yet fully established in this country, but one which deserves the attention of American capitalists. We do indeed produce an inferior article; but we are obliged to bear "French plate" alluded to as something far better; and yet we possess in abundance raw materials of the best quality for the manufacture.

The importations of polished plate into New York the ten years ending January 1, 1860, exceed six million cubic feet, while the quantity of rough plate imported during the same period is probably at least half as great. The silvering of the polished plates is generally done here, by the agents of the united foreign glass companies, as silvered plates are liable to be damaged in crossing the large ocean. A year or two ago, there were sixteen foreign establishments engaged in this business of which there were, in France, six; in England, six; in Germany, two; in Belgium, two. The aggregate capital of these works amounted to about fifty millions of dollars, and the annual production to nearly thirteen millions of square feet. The average cost of production varied between 38 and 54 cents gold per square foot; the average selling price in Paris was about 87 cents gold, leaving a handsome margin of profit, aside from that which is realized from the silvering of the plates. The profits upon exportation to countries where no such establishments exist are much greater.

A MONUMENT TO ADAM.—We do not know how much truth, says the New York *Times*, there is in the story, but it is reported that the Rev. Charles Rogers, of England, is about to get up a subscription for the erection of a monument to—Adam, the father of mankind! A company to be entitled the "Grand International Adamite Monument Association," is to be formed, and the monument is to be erected upon the supposed site of the Garden of Eden, in Mesopotamia. The expense, no doubt, will be great. It is the custom to make a monument never similar, and generally much larger, than was the mortal body of the hero whose mortal deeds it is intended to commemorate; and, as there is a well authenticated tradition that Adam was 930 feet high, his monument cannot, in common justice, be less than 1,000 in altitude. But it is estimated that a penny subscription from each one of the surviving descendants of this truly great and good man—and it is impossible that one of them should be unwilling to contribute this small sum—would amount to enough to pay for the erection of the monument, and leave enough over to procure a handsome testimonial for Dr. Rogers, who has been the first to suggest that it was time to wipe away "the stigma long attached to humanity for having left the memory of the first hero in its history—a man whose name, fame, action, death and spiritual influence are constantly on our lips—without a commemorative stone to tell the stranger who could appreciate it what he had done." A great many hard things have been said of Adam; but it should not be forgotten that we owe him much, and that, with all his faults, he had many virtues.

CURIOUS POLITICAL THEORIES IN NEW HAMPSHIRE.—We have already noticed the fact that the sum of $20,000 is at issue pending the proof, asserted by parties on behalf of the *Republican Statesman* of Concord, N. H., that Hon. George G. Fogg, editor of the *Independent Democrat* of that city was, as his accusers allege, a traitor to the Republican party, and that he engaged in the summer of 1868 in a conspiracy with Hon. John G. Sinclair, Democratic candidate for Governor of New Hampshire, and delegate to the Democratic National Convention at New York, to nominate Chief Justice Chase for President Mr. Fogg to support that nomination in his newspapers. The examination in the case comes off, as we are informed, next week, at Concord, before Hon. E. H. Rollins, Chairman of the State Republican Central Committee, and Hon. Anson S. Marshall, Chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee—these parties being considered competent to decide the question of political treachery, or the contrary, on hearing evidence. Each party, as has been stated, has deposited $10,000 to abide the result of the hearing; but there is reported to be some difficulty as to the precise condition of the deposit. This is a novel way of deciding a political controversy. The tribunal is composed of honorable men, and their decision, no doubt, will be a fair one. If the hearing is public, it will create much excitement.—*Boston Journal*.

POLITICAL ITEMS.

One of the two votes in the Virginia Senate against the ratification of the Fifteenth Amendment was cast by a colored member.

The people know the difference between General Grant's Peace and the Democratic P's. So they have defeated Packer and Pendleton.

The Cincinnati *Times* says the defeat of Pendleton is a glorious event for the country, and second only to the surrender of Lee and the downfall of the rebel Confederacy.

A Democratic paper in Eastern Oregon says "The Radicals are talking of the horse jockey for a second term of office as President. Democrats will rejoice at his nomination." Democrats must be exceedingly anxious to meet with another defeat.

The Cincinnati *Chronicle* explains Pendleton's majority in that city by showing from the figures of previous elections that over 5,000 Republicans stood away from the polls. Disgust with the "thing" was the cause of their absence from political duty.

The *Inquisitor*, a paper started in New York as a sort of fungus springing from the debris of the rebellion, and reflecting the aristocratic views of the leaders of the lost cause, has gone into the grave with the ideas and doctrines of the Confederacy it sought to revive. One by one the Democratic ards drop off and are forgotten.

The New York *Herald* says the recent elections may be dismissed with the conclusion that they indicate no change in the public sentiment to the prejudice of General Grant's administration, but that the two parties remain substantially as they stood last year, including the vote held in reserve, and which will be brought out next year in the elections for a new Congress.

Recent intelligence from Mississippi states that the canvass there is getting very lively. A serious disaffection has sprung up among several of the principal Democratic papers in the State. The Columbus *Democrat*, Holly Springs *Reporter*, Houston *Recorder*, Fort Gibson *Standard*, Yaka *Gazette* and Canton *Citizen* bitterly oppose the Dent movement, and favor the reorganization of the Democratic party.

On the morning of the election in Pennsylvania the New York *Times* published the following warning: Republicans of Philadelphia look out! Democratic agents were at work in this city on Sunday and yesterday organizing bands of roughs and repeaters for service at the Philadelphia polls to-day. It was announced to the faithful that two thousand votes are wanted, and five hundred repeaters were sought to make matters sure. They are in Philadelphia now, organized and armed.

General Reynolds' order for the election in Texas provides that, in case the free and full exercise of the privilege of voting is obstructed to any registered voters whatever by disturbances at the polls, the boards shall at once close the polls, and make a full report of the circumstances to the nearest post commander, who will take immediate action to arrest the offenders and hold them in military custody until further orders. The election is not to be resumed until ordered from District Headquarters.

The New York *Evening Mail*, an independent paper, says: We have nothing to say in regard to the partisan aspect of the Republican victory of Ohio. What principally concerns impartial observers, like ourselves, is that the verdict of Ohio is again emphatically pronounced against everything which looks towards repudiation of our national obligations. It is true that repudiation was not made an issue, but Mr. Pendleton was believed to represent the policy of paying at least part of the debt in greenbacks.

The New Orleans *Commercial* is not so hopeful as some other Southern papers that the preponderance of influence which the West will possess in the next ten years will lead to antagonism between the two sections. There is, mingled with its comments on the origin of the political power of the West, a tone of admiration for the north-eastern States quite rare in the journals of the South:

"In all the leading occupations where education and capacity are required, in every vocation except those purely mechanical, the men of the West get their inspiration from the schools and colleges of New England and New York, either directly or through the medium of teachers born and educated there. The wind that fills the prosperous sails of the West is a northeaster. Go where we may in the West, look into any mill, shop, bank or great store, we will usually find the motive brain power to be in some man who was born east of the Allegheny Mountains. They are in all of the Western journals and give tone to public opinion. They make and administer the laws. They teach young and old. They are the missionaries who diffuse Eastern doctrines on all political, social, religious and secular subjects. Hence the West is politically but an extension of the East. Learning, politics and commerce in the West are as much influenced by New England as rural Massachusetts is by Boston. The East has gained in political power by the multitudes of emigrants sent to the West."

An Omaha girl whose lover would not propose fired one barrel of a revolver at him, told him she had five more left, and forced him to terms. They are now a happy couple.

Use KANE'S IMPERIAL CONDENSED SOAP. It washes without rubbing. For sale by Allen & Lewis, Corbitt & McCipsy, K. G. Smeathland all retailers.

I. O. O. F.—An adjourned meeting of Kilhon Encampment No. 1, I. O. O. F. will be held this (Thursday) evening, 28th inst., at 7½ o'clock.

J. H. LYON, Scribe.

J. B. SPRENGER

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J. B. SPRENGER, Proprietor.

Portland, Oct. 6, 1869. dtf

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FOR 1870,

Consisting of Statistical information relative to Portland, embracing a

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S. J. McCORMICK,
Compiler and Publisher.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS DAY FORMED a copartnership for the purpose of transacting a General Merchandise Business at Baker City, Baker county, Oregon.

E. W. REYNOLDS,
JAMES F. FERGUSON

Baker City, Oct. 18, 1869. o28d1w

SPIRITS TURPENTINE,

EASTERN, AND OF OUR OWN IMPORTATION, of the lowest market rates.

HODGE, CALEF & CO.,

Dealers in Drugs, Paint, Oils and Glass, 97 Front street.

NOTICE.—ASSIGNEE OF HIS APPOINTMENT in Bankruptcy, District of Oregon, ss. At the city of Portland, the 28th day of October, A. D. 1869. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of C. A. Westfall, of the county of Washington and State of Oregon, within the district aforesaid, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on the petition of his creditors, by the District Court of said district.

SAM'L A. MOREL AND, Assignee.

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MASON STEAM BREWERY!

HAVING DISPOSED OF ALL THE OLD STOCK OF Malt Liquors on hand when I took charge of the above Brewery I now take this means of notifying my customers and the public generally that in future I shall make nothing but the first quality of

PHILADELPHIA XXX ALE!
PORTER AND
XX CREAM OR STEAM ALE

All of which I flatter myself we can do to perfection. I solicit the patronage of the community, and hope at least you will all give our celebrated beverages a trial.

And in conclusion I have to say, in duty to ourselves, and to try to make a living in the community, that on and after November 1, 1869, our Beverages will be sold at the following prices: Philadelphia XXX Ale and Porter, $15 per barrel or $2 50 for Five gallons; Cream XX at $12 per barrel or $2 for Five gallons.

o23dtf C. C. SMART.

MRS. SNIDER,
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IS NOW RECEIVING DIRECT IMPORTATIONS OF everything in her line, also a complete assortment of

DRESS TRIMMINGS,
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etc., etc., and which will be sold at Wholesale and Retail at the lowest market prices. Ladies please call and examine at 73 FIRST STREET, three doors south of Ladd & Tilton's Bank.

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The largest assortment and the lowest prices at

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FIRST ST., bet. Alder and Morrison,

Opposite the Postoffice.

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REMOVAL.

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To PARRISH'S BRICK BUILDING, Corner of FRONT and WASHINGTON STREETS.

RESIDENCE—Corner of B and North Tenth streets.

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To Let.

A FRONT SUIT OF ROOMS IN HOLMES' BRICK Building. Apply to T. J. or R. Z. HOLMES.

Portland, Oct. 26, 1869. o27dtf

Wanted.

10 CARPENTERS. APPLY TO

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Wanted.

IMMEDIATELY, A HEALTHY WET NURSE, TO nurse a young infant. Apply at this office.

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DIRECT IMPORTATION!

EX "ADELINE ELLWOOD," FROM NEW YORK.

1,000 doz. LAMP CHIMNEYS;
200 doz LAMPS;
200 doz SUN BURNERS, A A No. 1 pressed;
250 gross LAMP WICK;
50 doz LANTERNS, new pattern.

And a Full Assortment of

LAMP STOCK.

1,000 doz TUMBLERS;
100 casks assorted GLASSWARE.

A Large Assortment of

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SUITABLE FOR CHURCHES, HALLS, STORES AND PRIVATE RESIDENCES.

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FROM THE CELEBRATED POTTERY OF E. CLARK, England, consisting of Ware suitable for the use of Hotels, Steamboats and Families, at Wholesale and Retail.

Having received the above Goods DIRECT from the Manufactories, we are enabled to sell them at greatly reduced prices. The Trade supplied on the most liberal terms. By

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IN STORE AND NOW ARRIVING, THE BEST AND most carefully selected Stock of GOOD FURNITURE ever offered in this city. NEW STYLES of

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MATTRESSES.

BLACK WALNUT LUMBER;
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Goods in original packages sold at San Francisco prices and freight.

The Public are invited to examine our Stock.

WAREROOMS—Corner FIRST and SALMON STREETS, PORTLAND.

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A Large Assortment of

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DRESS GOODS, Cloakings, Shawls, Skirts, Corsets, Ladies' Merino Undershirts and Drawers, Plain and Embroidered Chemises, Night Gowns, Drawers, Infants' Robes, Embroidered Laces, Nubias, Hosiery, Hoods, &c., &c.

Purposing a change in our Business we will endeavor to make prices satisfactory to buyers FOR CASH.

JOHN WILSON,
127 Front Street

N. B.—A full assortment on hand of Gents and Boys low priced and superior Under-Wear and Furnishing Goods.

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NEW FURNITURE AND CARPET STORE!

PAUL RICHTER,

Manufacturer and Dealer in

PARLOR, DININGROOM AND BEDROOM FURNITURE,

MIRRORS,

Spring and Hair Mattresses.

CARPETS,

WINDOW SHADES, WALL PAPER, DAMASK, UPHOLSTERY TRIMMING, ETC.

Southwest corner First and Taylor Sts.,

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DIRECT FROM THE EAST!

HAVING RECEIVED A LARGE LOT OF

LIQUORS!

DIRECT FROM THE EAST, WE ARE ENABLED TO

SELL AT SAN FRANCISCO PRICES.

Buyers will find it to their advantage to examine our Stock before purchasing elsewhere.

HILLIBURGH BROS. & CO.,

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NEW
UNDERTAKER ESTABLISHMENT!

Corner Taylor and Second streets.

HAVING PURCHASED THAT FIRST CLASS HEARSE of Messrs. Hall, Lawrence & Co. together with their Stock of COFFIN TRIMMINGS, I am prepared to attend to UNDERTAKING in all its branches.

FURNITURE REPAIRED and Jobbing done.

H. COOK.

Having disposed of our Undertaking Business to H. COOK, we wish to cheerfully recommend him to our former and the public.

o19d2w2p EMIL LOWENSTEIN & CO.

Agents Wanted.

$30 FOR THE HOME SHUTTLE $30
SEWING MACHINE.

THE ONLY PRACTICAL LOW PRICED LOCK-Stitch Machine (alike on both sides). Equally good for Fine or Heavy work. Sent on receipt of price. Agents wanted. For Circulars and terms address HOME SHUTTLE SEWING MACHINE CO.,

Box 40, Portland, Oregon

Or, call at 131 First street.

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FOR

San Francisco, Direct,

STEAMSHIP

MOSES TAYLOR,

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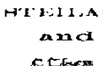
Will leave Couch's Wharf for the above Port

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28TH, 1869

AT 5 O'CLOCK P. M.

For Port Townsend, Seattle, STEILACOOM, OLYMPIA, and VICTORIA.



THE STEAMSHIP

GEO. S. WRIGHT,

N. E. JOHNSON ..... Commander.

Will leave Couch's Wharf for the above ports

ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1869

AT 6 O'CLOCK, A. M.

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company, No. 9 Front street.

mar19dtf GEO. W. WEIDLER, Agent.

STITZEL & UPTON,

Real Estate Brokers,

No. 86,

COR. FRONT AND WASHINGTON STS.

Have for sale a large amount of City Property. Parties desiring to purchase will do well to call at our office.

LOANS NEGOTIATED ON COLLATERAL AND First Mortgage Security.

For sale on Alder street, desirable Homestead Property. Apply to Stitzel & Upton.

On Third street; Five Business Lots, 60x100 ft each, located between Pine and Yamhill streets.

We beg leave at this time to call the attention of buyers to the advertisement of A. B. Richardson, Auctioneer, on Wednesday, the 3d day of November next, a large amount of desirable Real Property will be sold. For particulars apply at the office of Stitzel & Upton, corner Front and Washington streets.

EAST PORTLAND PROPERTY for sale. A large amount of Lands for sale either in Blocks, Lots or by the acre.

On Wednesday, the 3d day of November next, we will sell at Public Auction a 40-acre tract adjoining East Portland. Apply to Stitzel & Upton.

Choice Business Property for sale on Front or First streets. Good investments.

To CAPITAL SEE. A party desirous of engaging in a well established business with a capital of $12,000 to $18,000 will find it to their interest to call at this office. Apply to Stitzel & Upton, corner Front and Washington streets, Portland, Oregon.

A number of Improved Homesteads for sale, ranging in price from $1,000 to $10,000. Apply to Stitzel & Upton.

Let every man procure a Home. Choice Farming Lands for sale.

For sale—One of the best Stock and Grain Farms in Washington county, two miles north of Forest Grove, 640 acres, with the best of improvements, by applying soon. A bargain can be had in the place. Apply to Stitzel & Upton, corner Front and Washington streets.

Special Attention given to Commission Business.

J. B. UPTON,

Attorney-at-Law,

Will practice in all the Courts of this State.

Any inquiry or correspondence in respect to the valuation, location or description of property and terms of sale will be promptly acknowledged and full particulars given.

The best maps and latest surveys are in our Rooms, open to public inspection, together with such other sources of information as will be useful to parties seeking land for speculation or fully realize as to what lands are desirable and properly located for their occupation.

Apply to

STITZEL & UPTON,
REAL ESTATE BROKERS.

au2 Corner of Front and Washington streets.

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD!

The Directors of the Northern Pacific Railroad have decided to commence work vigorously in the spring at both ends of the line with a force of 6,000 Swedes at the Eastern end and 6,000 Chinamen at the Western Terminus.—*Telegram to Chronicle* Dec. 14th.

SECURE AN INTEREST

AT THE

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Five Acres of Land for sale at Seattle for $145.

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Five Acres of Land for sale at Nesqually for $145.

Great Bargains at

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Call and examine the plats for yourselves.

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S. SHERLOCK & CO.

52 Front St., Portland,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN

SADDLERY HARDWARE.

SADDLES!

BRIDLES, WHIPS,
DOUBLE & SINGLE BUGGY HARNESS,
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Hill's Concord Stage Harness

HARNESS LEATHER, SKIRTING
APPERAJO and BRIDLE LEATHER,
CALIFORNIA TREES,
ENAMELED DUCKING
SHEEPSKINS,
STAGE LASHES,
WHALEBONE STALKS, &c.

Importing direct from the East, we offer all the advantage claimed in the San Francisco market. A large and well assorted stock constantly on hand.

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C. A. BURCHARDT,

"GEM!"

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in FRESH

SHOALWATER BAY OYSTERS!

Fresh Cargoes Three Times a Week!

ORDERS with the Cook in Depot attended to.

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THE LATEST STYLES

OF

HATS & CAPS!

HAVING CLOSED OUT OUR OLD STOCK OF HATS and Caps and receiving the latest Styles DIRECT from the manufacturers at the East we are now prepared to offer Hats cheaper than any house in Oregon.

W. CURRIER & CO.,

108 Front Street.

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AUCTION SALES OF REAL ESTATE, GROCERIES, GENERAL MERCHANDISE AND HORSES.

Sale Days: Wednesday and Saturday.

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At Private Sale:

ENGLISH REFINED, PEA and BUNDLE STOVES, SQUARE and OCTAGON CAST STOVES, HORSE SHOES, TIRE BARS, NAILS, HORSE BROWN TRY PANS, SHORT IRON, &c.

ALSO,

Large assortment of Groceries, Provisions, &c.

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Regular and Peremptory Sale

OF

Real Estate, Groceries,

GENERAL MERCHANDISE, &c.

I will sell, at my Auction Sale Room,

ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30,

At 10 o'clock A. M.,

100 boxes C. C. SOAP,
100 boxes YELLOW FAMILY SOAP,
100 boxes EPHRM CANDLES,
100 boxes ADAMANTINE,

ALSO,

75 boxes CHEWING TOBACCO,
50 boxes MACKEREL,

ALSO,

100 boxes UNITED PEACHES,
50 bbls SUGAR,
100 bbls SYRUP;

ALSO,

50 boxes COFFEE,
100 bbls SUGAR,
50 cases ASSORTED JELLY;

ALSO,

200 chests JAPAN TEA,
100 chests YOUNG HYSON TEA.

Also FURNITURE.

A. B. RICHARDSON.

Special and Peremptory Sale

OF

ELEGANT HOMESTEAD

Situated in

A. H. JOHNSON'S

ADDITION TO THE CITY OF PORTLAND.

I will Sell at my Auction Sale Room,

ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 3,

At 10 o'clock A. M.,

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36 and 37, in Block Three (3) in said Addition to the city of Portland. Size of Lots, 50x100 feet.

ALSO,

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, in Block Three (3) in said Addition to the city of Portland. Size of Lots, 50x100 feet.

Title perfect. Terms—One half cash, balance in twelve months.

The above described property is pleasantly situated having a commanding view of the city of Portland and surrounding country. Good and suitable for gardens, parks or residences. Can be obtained on the premises. Parties desiring choice homestead lots, are particularly invited to call and examine for themselves before the day of this sale.

Further information can be obtained at Stitzel & Upton's office, or by addressing the Auctioneer.

A. B. RICHARDSON.

ALSO,

VALUABLE FARMING LANDS

That certain tract of Land situated in Multnomah and State of Oregon, described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the southwest corner of Section 27, T 1 N, R 1 E, thence 320 rods to A. N. King's gate, thence north 320 rods to ——, thence east 320 rods to ——, thence south 40 rods to place of beginning.

ALSO,

The southwest quarter of section 8, T 1 N, R 2 E, of range 2 west, containing forty acres, more or less, and situated one hundred and nineteen rods to the northeast of section 10, township 2 north, range 3 west, Multnomah county, Oregon.

ALSO,

The S½ of S W¼ of Section 14, T 1 N, R 2 E.

ALSO,

The S½ of N W¼ of S E¼, T 1 N, R 2 E.

ALSO,

The W½ of S W¼, of section 23, T 1 N, R 2 E, 320 acres, and situated in Multnomah.

R. JAQUES,

for the heirs of Samuel E. Jaques, deceased.

A. B. RICHARDSON,

Auctioneer.

ALSO, JUST

CHOICE FARMING LANDS

Commencing at a point 120 rods south of Baldwin Murray's land claim, thence west 56 rods, thence south 20 rods, thence east 56 rods, thence north 20 rods, to the place of beginning, containing 6½ acres.

For further particulars apply to

my Auction Salesroom.

o22 A. B. RICHARDSON.

PACIFIC

FIRE AND MARINE

INSURANCE COMPANY

The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 28, 1869.

CITY.

Money Market.

Portland Legal Tender Notes ..... 75@76
San Francisco Legal Tender rates ..... 74@
New York Gold Quotations ..... 134@134¼

COMMON COUNCIL.—Wednesday evening, October 27, 1869, the Common Council of City of Portland met at the usual hour, his Honor Mayor Goldsmith presiding.

Present, Councilmen Hosser, Bills, Breck, Cree, Lewis and Moffett. Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS, ETC.

Petition of John Kennedy for permission to have his his house stand, partially, in the street until May 1, 1870, read and prayer thereof granted.

A communication from H Casen giving notice of the completion of his contract to construct certain fire cisterns was read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Remonstrance of H. Bories and others against the proposed change of grade on Morrison street, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property.

A communication from the Chief Engineer calling attention to the cisterns in need of repairs was read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water, with instructions to have the repairs made.

CLAIMS AGAINST THE CITY.

The following bills of expenses incurred in the late reception of Hon. W. H. Seward were ordered paid: Emil. Lowenstein & Co., $6 00; Cosmopolitan Hotel, $39 50; S J McCormick, $25 00; American Exchange, $30 00; R. E. Ford, $15 25; *Fennie Trompe*, $21 00; Geo. Vincent, $5 50; P D & H. Co., $48 00; Walter Bros., $4 00.

The bill of Logan, Shattuck & Klihn, $125 00, was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The bill of Jos. Tucker, $73 75, was paid less $30 00.

Warrants were ordered drawn in favor of the following parties for amounts named: W H Farmer, $7 00; E J Northrup & Co., $4 00; J. B. Dougle, $4 00; Eagle Foundry, $29 10; R. Sorter, $4 00; P. D. & H. Co., $ 50; *Oregon Herald*, $73 25.

For work on street improvements, P. G. Baker, $71 22; Johnson Bros., $121 50; Estes & Stimpson, $3,060 23.

ORDINANCES.

Ordinance making an appropriation out of the general fund to supply certain deficiencies in the appropriation for general expenses, read a first and second time; rule suspended, ordinance read a third time and passed.

Ordinance appropriating $200 out of the street lamp fund to defray the expense of constructing and repairing lamps and lamp posts, read a first and second time; rule suspended, ordinance read a third time and passed.

Ordinance declaring the probable cost of improving Front street from Main to Madison, read first and second time; rule suspended, ordinance read a third time and passed.

Ordinance making an appropriation out of the fund for the improvement of Front street, read first and second time; rule suspended, ordinance read a third time and passed.

Ordinance defining the duties and powers of the City Recorder, read a first and second time, and referred to the Committee on Health and Police, with instructions to report thereon at the next meeting of the Council

Councilman Lewis offered a substitute for the ordinance entitled, an ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled an ordinance to establish a day and night police in the City of Portland, which was read a first and second time at the last meeting. The substitute was read for information, and referred to the committee on Health and Police.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Street Commissioner, by resolution, was instructed to notify all property owners in the vicinity of the School House on Harrison street to grade the adjoining streets without delay.

The Auditor was directed to issue warrants for the collection of delinquent assessments on C street.

Warrants were ordered drawn to pay for the improvement of the public property on Jefferson street.

The City Surveyor was instructed to make a correct survey of Washington street, west of Park street, with a view to establish the grade of the same.

The following was adopted:

Resolved, That the Military Commander of this Department be signified his willingness to allow the 2d Infantry band to give occasional public musical entertainments on the Plaza in this city, if it was

Resolved, That the Committee on Streets and Public Property be authorized to have a stand of suitable dimensions erected for the accommodation of the said Band, at a cost not exceeding $100.

On motion of Councilman Bills the Council adjourned.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY THE PORTLAND WORKINGMEN'S ASSOCIATION.—The following resolutions were passed by the Workingmen's Association of this city:

1st. That this institution shall be hailed and known as the "Portland Workingmen's Protective Association."

2d. That the officers of this Association shall be as follows: One President, three Vice Presidents, one Secretary, one Financial Secretary and one Treasurer.

3d. That the object of this Association is to discountenance Chinese labor in every department, and by all honorable means within our power to stop the vast tide of Mongolian emigration that is now directing its course toward the Pacific shore.

4th. That if any member of this Association be overcome and incapable of helping himself, and such fact shall not be caused by his own indiscretion, he shall immediately notify the Secretary, who shall detail two members to wait upon him daily until the patient is convalescent.

5th. That if any member of this association is at a boarding at any hotel or boarding house employing Chinese labor, he shall notify the proprietor that if such help for more than one month from this date, the members of this association will be compelled to leave.

6th. That if any business man in this city shall employ any Chinese in any capacity whatsoever, no member of this association shall trade with him.

7th. That a committee of nine members of this Association shall be appointed, three from each ward, whose duty it shall be to look after the welfare of this Association.

8th. That the entrance fee for membership in this Association shall be fifty cents, and dues per month twenty-five cents.

9th. That no subject of a political or religious nature shall be discussed before this Association during the transaction of business.

10th. That if any member of this Association shall violate any of the above resolutions, he shall be subject to such punishment as the majority of the members present at any regular meeting may determine.

THOS. JOHNSTON,
A. GRANT,
THOS. HEARON, Committee.

WATERS UP THE COLUMBIA.—We obtain the following paragraphs from the Walla Walla *Union*:

The rise of all kinds seems lively of late. Large quantities of produce are coming in and sells readily at a fair price. All of our merchants have bought large stocks of goods, which are just beginning to arrive, and although but impress one with the belief that these men are satisfied with their business and with the country. Large herds of valley produce are being shipped in large quantities to the upper country, thereby making business lively, and packers unusually good. Times are better and money more plenty in Walla Walla than for a long time past.

We are informed by knowing ones that there has been more lumber sold in the last six months than there was before prior to that time. The demand for good comfortable dwelling houses exceed the supply, and men are daily inquiring for such, but they are scarce, all being occupied, and although there has been quite a number built, and still more in course of construction, yet, if people keep coming into town as fast as they have been for a while past, houses will still be scarce.

Mr. H. M. Hodges, of the Wallula ferry, informs us that this fall he has ferried about twenty-five families across the Columbia river, who were going to the Yakima to settle, and that a much larger number have crossed at Umatilla and the Dalles, and he estimates that not less than one hundred claims have been taken up this fall in this fine valley, so well adapted to farming and stock raising, will soon have a heavy population, which it can well support.

We learn that this week there was a party who had just come from the States over the unpressed route of the North Pacific Railroad, who passed down the Walla Walla river, and took the numbers of all the vacant lands in the vicinity of Wallula. They seem to keep their own counsel as to the impression is that they are entering it on account of their increased value when Wallula shall become a terminus.

OREGON GOODS TO EUROPE.—The firm of Corbett & Macleay, of this city, who have the charter of the *Adeline Elwood* for Liverpool, are sending one hundred cases of Columbia river salmon, in tins and kegs a part to England and a part to Scotland—for the purpose of introducing that article to the markets of the Old World. England has some salmon of her own, but they are inferior in form, and so scarce as to be ranked among the luxuries of the table, and not to be indulged in except by the wealthy. England has no salmon worth mention. It is believed that, once introduced, our Columbia river salmon will be in such demand as to make a market for all we have to send away.

Mr. Macleay also sends a pair of immense elk horns procured from Tillamook, and perhaps the largest and finest pair ever sent out of the State—to the Royal Botanical Gardens, at Kew, London. The museum at Kew is made up of contributions by Britons abroad, each article being set up and labelled with the name of the contributor and the country in which it is found. We can imagine that the subjects of her Britanic Majesty will open their eyes in genuine astonishment and admiration at a pair of horns so large and spreading as to require the room of a medium sized modern parlor, in which to display their majestic proportions. What with our wheat, our salmon and our horns, sent by the *Elwood*, we think Oregon will be somewhat advertised by the ventures of Messrs. Corbett & Macleay.

DISTINGUISHED ODD FELLOW.—Fred D. Stuart, Deputy Grand Sire of the Grand Lodge of the United States, is at present, in this city. He arrived here, overland from California, on Tuesday and the same evening visited Samaritan Lodge No. 2, having been invited and received by a committee appointed for that purpose. The lodge had a second meeting last night, for the purpose of receiving it semi-official, and to enjoy a social reunion. Mr. Stuart called upon us early in the evening and spent a half hour in very agreeable chat. We find him a plain, sensible, companionable man, strongly marked with that peculiar quality of heart which has given Odd Fellowship such a hold upon the world. We learn from him that in early life he was in the naval service and that he was with Lieut. Wilkes' expedition and surveying expedition which entered the Columbia river in 1841. When he reaches Astoria, he will find some memorials of that expedition, still remaining. At Cape Disappointment, as we are informed by Capt. Flavel, the spruce used by Commodore Wilkes' men in taking in water, are still to be seen. To see and talk with Mr. Stuart is almost like seeing and speaking with one come down from antiquity. When here first, the country was but a wilderness—literally a "howling wilderness." Now he finds it populated, civilized, grown into an empire, comparatively speaking, and he says he finds it difficult to realize that it is not all the work of enchantment. Mr. Stuart will leave us by the steamer *Moses Taylor* for San Francisco, and thence by rail for his home in Washington City. His visit here will be long remembered by the brethren in Odd Fellowship. He had intended to return home by way of Idaho, and to visit the lodges there, but finds that his time has become too short to allow of hurrying for any more visits.

LOCAL BREVITIES.—The laying of the Stockton pavement in Front street has been completed.

The steamship *Moses Taylor* is still at East Portland unloading railroad iron.

The bark *A. Heaton* is out from New York one hundred and fifty days, and is overdue.

R F Dennison, District Judge of Washington Territory, has been staying in this city for two or three days.

George Maxwell, who was burned by the gas explosion a few days since, is able to be out again.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church had a pleasant sociable at the basement of the church last evening.

Kent's patent spading machine has been tested within the last two or three days and found to work satisfactorily.

The P. P. P. Co. is engaged in clearing out the obstructions in the river, at Rock Island.

The bark *Hattie C. Besse*, the Captain informs us, will sail for Hong Kong about Nov. 15th. She will commence receiving cargo in a day or two.

DALLES.—From the *Mountaineer* we learn the new building is progressing finely.

During the last week the nights have been quite cold, with frost nearly every morning.

The Justice's Court has been trying a long and vexatious succession of criminal cases, in which a dozen or more Chinamen were defendants.

Rev. Thaddeus Hurst has assumed the pastorate of the M. E. church.

The public school is in a most prosperous condition, the number of pupils being greater than the house can comfortably accommodate.

SALEM.—From the *Statesman* of Wednesday, 27th:

Wheat is being brought to the Salem mills in flat boats from the upper river.

A number of emigrants came up on the boat Monday evening, who have made their way by land and water to Oregon, and are looking out for home spots.

The river at the present moment is lower than it was during the lowest stage last summer and is still falling. It is now lower than the oldest steamboatmen ever knew it. * * * The *Success* is employed in driving piles to make permanent wing dams in place of those washed out.

THE FIRST SPIKE.—We are authorized to announce that *the* "first spike" in the Oregon Central Railroad will be driven at East Portland at 1 o'clock this afternoon—the first spike in the permanent main line. There will be appropriate ceremonies, accompanied by firing of cannon, a band of music, etc.

The piece of track laid down the other day is, of course, only for temporary purposes—the hauling of material. The main line will be commenced to-day, and the 28th October is to be the day from which Oregon will date her "new era."

MUSIC FOR THE MILLION.—The Infantry Band was out on the Plaza yesterday afternoon furnishing music for he million, though there were something less than a million people there. That, however, was not the fault of the band. The new feature of public days of recreation and music, is spoken of generally with delight. We heard yesterday, too, quite a general expression in favor of having the Plaza fixed up at the city's expense, so that it might become a *pleasant* resort.

CIRCUIT COURT, CLACAMAS COUNTY.—We learn that on Tuesday and yesterday, quite a number of cases on trial in this Court were disposed of. The grand jury found an indictment against Frank Vaughn for murder in the first degree; trial set for Thursday morning. John Welch and John Chinaman were indicted for an assault with a dangerous weapon. The grand jury were still in session last evening.

"OREGON STYLE" OUTDONE.—The Walla Walla papers—the *Statesman* and *Union*—are engaged in a Billingsgate tilt at each other, in which the "Oregon style" is totally eclipsed. In the talent of blackguardism and in the hurling of concentrated filth, these champions are becoming almost worthy to rank with those editors of California who have made the "California style" renowned and infamous.

ONE FINE THEATRE.—The play of "The Streets of New York" will be presented for the last time to-night. The lovers of the sensation drama should improve the opportunity to see it. Mr. Carter, the manager, intends to hasten with the attractions of the season and will not keep any piece on till it drags. "The Streets of New York" is a play that no one should miss seeing.

RACE TO-DAY.—At the Riverside track to-day, trotting race between Pat. Smith's "General," Knapp's black mare, entered by Smiley, and Sherlock's "Mohawk"—mile heats, three in five. These animals are all good geers; but it would be a "scratch" if anybody were to name the winner, before the trial. There will be, doubtless, plenty of sport. Race at 2 o'clock P. M.

GOING TO GERMANY.—Mr. Isaac Rosenfeld, who has long been in business in this city, will, with his family, leave by the *Moses Taylor* for a trip to "Faderland," on account of impaired health. Should he recover, he says we may look for him back again in a year or two.

FOR LIVERPOOL.—The bark *Adeline Elwood*, with wheat for Corbett & Macleay, will sail for Liverpool today. She takes 20,000 bushels—all, or nearly all, of the old crop.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.—The steamship *Moses Taylor* will sail for San Francisco at five o'clock this afternoon.

FOR VICTORIA.—The steamer *Geo. S. Wright* will sail for Victoria and Puget Sound, on Saturday.

EVERYBODY IS OUT SHOPPING these days, and it is just the time to get the Fall and Winter Styles. It is almost impossible to pass the splendid store of KOHN & FISHEL, No. 91, Front street, without being drawn in by the attraction of those charming *New Suits*, and the enormous piles of elegant clothing and fancy goods of every description and quality. They have, unquestionably, the largest stock and best assortment of goods that can be found in the city of Portland. Messrs. Kohn & Fishel bring their goods direct from New York, and sell as cheap as the cheapest.

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For now rocked beneath the really
Her shape based like a comet's tail
And like a mortal buzzer hung
Pantaloons of that outlandish tongue
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They put them on and saw the light
Where hope's dove's mission all the night
With intelligence would work and look
And fight the fierce Colorado
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"Try not the pills Of mental beware
The screaming politician's snare
Tweasal vain the old mansion
For still that ingliy keep pilot
Borosis

Oh stay the pygmy man said and rest
Thy waterfall up the west
A heart below her pedestal creek
But still she answered with a squeak
Borosis!

Beware the baleful company
Of Francis Train and Susan B
This silas old Greeley's warning ick
A rose opened—you go to—well—
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At break of day as through the street
The weary milkmen plied their beat
With hearty eyes and sleepy jaws
A voice arose through the purple lawn
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Next evening on a rostrum high
The maidens stood with fingers eye
While from her lips serene but pale
A voice came like a northwest gale
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All's Well that Ends Well

Some years ago, I knew a lapidary who gained a considerable fortune by a great misfortune An excellent workman honest as the day, Montin had but one fault he was too fond of good wine, which caused him to neglect his work—sometimes for days together, to the great dissatisfaction of his employer, who in all other respects valued and esteemed him highly, both for his skill and probity

One day Montin received from his master a diamond of the finest water to cut and polish, with strict recommendations to keep no ber until the work was finished

"I rely on your activity, said the jeweller on giving him the stone, "I must have it without fail, on the 15th inst and if you disappoint me this time it will be the last you will have from me."

Montin promised exactitude, asked, as was usual with him, part of his pay in advance and set himself courageously at work Under his skillful hand, the diamond began to show forth its beauty, in a few more hours it would have been finished, when, unfortunately for Montin's resolutions, a friend called on him an old comrade who had been long absent from Paris, what could they do but take a glass together? Arrived at the cabaret, the time passed quickly away and Montin thought no more of his unfinished work,

During the morning his employer came to see how the polishing of the diamond proceeded. The concierge assured him that Montin had only just gone out, and would not fail to return directly, as he had for some days been working steadily and unremitting ly Only half satisfied, the jeweller went away to return in two hours and to find Montin still absent. Convinced that he was at the tavern, the master charged one of his men to seek him and induce him to come to his work. This was done, and Montin grumbling between his teeth, quitted his comrade, and ascended to his workshop, but his head was no longer clear, nor his hand steady. To add to his trouble, the diamond became unfixed, he seized it hastily to replace it; his trembling fingers gave a jerk—and, by a strange fatality, the precious stone flew out of the window! Sobered in a moment by this terrible accident, Montin continued gazing out of the casement as if petrified, his pale lips murmuring the words, "lost! lost! lost!"

For more than an hour he remained almost motionless, and was only roused from his lethargy by the entrance of his master

"Is it thus you work, Montin?" exclaimed he, "three times have I called for the diamond, and you spend your time at the tavern Give me the stone; I must have it, finished or unfinished."

Montin looked wildly at him without uttering a word.

"What is the matter with you?' asked the jeweller. "Why don't you answer? Have you drank all your senses away?'

The lapidary tried in vain to speak His tongue seemed paralyzed At last he rose and rubbing his face in his hands, murmured 'It is—lost!"

"Explain yourself. What has happened?

"Out of the window"

"What! When?'

"The stone"

"Well, well, well! tell me what has occurred."

"The stone flew out'

It was now the turn of the master to become silent with astonishment then furious with rage, he cried

"I don't believe a word of your story you have sold my diamond to pay for your dissipation"

This accusation was the *coup de grace* for Montin He fell fainting at the feet of his master, and it was not without difficulty that he was recalled to life, or rather to a despair which amounted almost to madness The jeweller, who understood what was passing in his mind, tried to console him, and at last succeeded in rendering him more calm

"It is a most unfortunate accident no doubt," said he, "but it is not irreparable

"You do not, then, believe that I sold your diamond for drink?" said Montin, eagerly

"No, no, Montin; you must forget what I said in the first moment of anger, and let us try to find a remedy for the misfortune The diamond was worth £200; you must endeavor to repay me the half of that sum out of your wages, which, when you work regularly amounts to £8 or £4 a week With industry and sobriety you will soon get out of debt"

"From this time I will work steadily said Montin, with tears in his eyes 'You shall see, sir, that though I have been a drunkard I am not a thief."

"I believe you," replied the jeweler 'I have every confidence in you, you are a good workman, I will furnish you with plenty of work, and in a few years you will be right again Well! will that suit you?"

"Oh yes, sir! only tell me once more that you do not think I sold the diamond

"I repeat, on my honor that I only said so in the first moment of anger I am convinced you are an honest man—in fact I prove it by trusting you with more work

"Yes, sir, that is true and I promise you I will not disappoint you I will repair my fault the lesson has been severe but it will not be without its fruits'

Montin kept his word—he rose early and worked indefatigably the lost stone was replaced by another, which was polished as if by enchantment. Faithful to his promise he went no more to the tavern and became a model of steadiness and industry At the end of the year he had paid a considerable part of his debt. Sixteen months passed thus when one fine morning in May having finished his work, he placed himself at the window and watched the boats passing and repassing on the river which flowed close to the walls of the house Suddenly his eye was attracted by something bright glittering on the extreme edge of an old chimney. What was his surprise to discover his half-polished diamond It seemed as if a breeze would precipitate it into the water beneath, and yet there it had been for so many months suspended between heaven and earth!

At this sight his emotion became almost as great as on the day when he had seen it disappear out of the window he dared not remove his eyes, fearing to lose sight of the slim treasure recovered

"It is—it is my diamond which has cost me so many tears, said he, but how shall I reach it If it were to fall' But no I will take every precaution not too fast let me consider well'

At this moment his employer entered the room

"Oh sir cried Montin, it is there

"What' said the jeweller

"My diamond or rather yours Ah I dare not touch it, we shall lose it for ever

"It is true it is certainly the diamond that has so tormented us but the difficulty is how

Want a moment I know what to do Saying I flatter But quickly return I'll bring in his hat I am not prepared for such a stroke With this I will put that of a long stick he proceeded carefully to push it to the precious Montin hardly daring to breath watching all his movements with the greatest anxiety What interested us was to see how Montin would get it Here it is Montin I congratulate you on this discovery I am now your debtor to the amount of nearly one hundred pounds What I have to do with the money

I will tell you what is still to do I will be kind enough to keep it for me

Most willingly I will pay you with interest but I must first buy you a pair of new shoes for those you have worn out in the service of your master

The beginning of Montin's fortune was made from that day he applied himself with fresh ardor to his labors, and in a short time became one of the most skilful lapidaries of Amsterdam

Arctic Travel

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This evening I had the pleasure of meeting at the house of Mr Grinnell the Arctic explorer Dr Hayes, who has just returned from the Polar Sea Dr Hayes made extensive explorations of Inhertie Land visited places and tribes of Esquimaux never before known to civilization and brought back many interesting sketches and their companion instead of adventure and an abundance of shooting, The party went out in a chartered steamer from St John's Newfoundland leaving there July 3 and returning to the same place Sept 28 Meanwhile they steamed four thousand miles going and coming and visited both sides of Baffin Bay They reached as far north as the middle of Melville Bay latitude 77 degrees and encountered some rough hard ice in the Middle Pack

The season has been very unfavorable for the navigation in the upper waters of Baffin Bay and several whale ships were reported as almost ice fast in finding a passage in the quarter where our party had their harvest nor men ters with the thick ice before Our vessel the *Alexander* was lost, but her crew was saved In Melville Bay many polar bears were seen, and they were lucky enough to shoot six The bears were literally run down by their powerful steamer ploughing through and tearing up the ice driving the game from ice field to ice held until they were finally brought to bay A curious incident of this novel chase was that while pursuing the bears the photographers (Messrs Dunmore & Critcherson) stationed on the top gallant yards of the, took the portraits of the bears while they ran to and fro in the photographic art is fairly quite now and not likely to be repeated In this vicinity, at a place called the Devils Thumb as well as at Ankpadlartok near Upernavik at Jacobshaven in Disko Bay and at Kraksimeut, South Greenland the party visited surveyed and photographed immense glaciers and in one instance made a considerable journey upon the great ice-sea or *mer de glace* which covers the interior of Greenland

From one of the glaciers they had a narrow escape Anchoring near its front which rose more than two hundred feet high in a perpendicular wall they were in the act of surveying and photographing it when they were suddenly startled by loud and deafening reports which were followed by the discharge of several enormous icebergs This disruption sent the waters rolling in gigantic waves down fiord, and it seems almost a miracle that in the fearful crash and disturbance which followed they were not dashed to pieces The photographing party was on the shore and barely escaped by climbing the rocks, while all their implement were crushed to atoms by the force of the waves, one of which is represented to have been thirty feet high Those Greenland glaciers are the source of all these icebergs which come down into the North Atlantic, to the great peril of ships and for the wonder of voyagers

They visited the numerous places of interest on the Greenland coast, beginning at Julianshaab in the south and thence working north They have been entirely successful in every object of their voyage, have been singularly favored with good weather and good for tune:

Not least among the objects of interest visited by the party was the old Norse ruin at Krakatok or Gardar, in South Greenland at which place there once flourished an extensive colony, founded in the year 986, a son of the founder, named Thorwald, being, in 1,001, the first discoverer of Newfoundland. Among the ruins of this ancient colony (which by all accounts was a very prosperous one) the party discovered the walls of an old cathedral, in a tolerable estate of preservation. They produce many evidences that the climate of Greenland since the Norse occupation, has grown much colder

They paid a visit to the famous kryolite mine at Ivigtut, the only place in the world where that valuable mineral (which is almost pure soda) has been discovered, The annual production of the mine is about 12 000 tons the half of which is shipped to the United States

Besides polar bears, our voyagers found abundance of game, in the shape of birds many of which were shot, especially eider ducks The Greenland coast, like that of Labrador abounds in bird life during the summer many varieties of water fowl migrating there to breed

Among the most interesting places visited was Upernavick in latitude 72 deg 50 min the most northern point of Christian occupation on the globe At an outpost of that place they fell in with Dr Hayes old interpreter and dog manager Peter Jensen who was the only white man in the settlement and has now for many years lived hunted and prospered within a thousand miles of the pole

The party met with no serious accidents At the Duck Islands their vessel ran upon a sunken rock, but escaped without any very serious injury, and at Cape Desolation during a gale, they were in some peril from thick weather, and bad anchorage The stocks of both their anchors were carried away in the vain endeavor to hold on in a most dreary and forbidding place, where nobody has probably ever been before, or ever will be or perhaps wish to be again Of course they had their adventures with icebergs and ice floes, which was quite legitimate and to be expected. They were once badly "beset and their vessel was sadly "nipped," while the young ice (in August?) was forming, at an uncomfortably rapid rate, and everything bet ok ened a winter in the drifting pack But from this, they were mercifully spared by a change of wind

The party was most hospitably received everywhere by the Danish officials and people in Greenland That country it is known is owned by Denmark and trading station s much after the manner of the Hudson s Bay Company are numerous along the coast

It is one of the most singular features of this summer voyage that much of it was performed in constant daylight for four successive days they saw the sun at midnight and during two months they never once lighted their lamps

The temperature was in no time very cold though fires were generally necessary in the cabin On one or more occasions the temperature rose to seventy degrees. This was in Southern Greenland where they found many pleasant people and as excited to it an immense quantity of mosquitoes and tormenting flies by which Dr Hayes was on one occasion driven from shore to the ship while in the act of surveying a glacier and Mr Bradford had the sun full on while sketching it

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